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Conclusion:

In view of all of the above, Applicant submits that the subject application is in a condition for allowance, and respectfully requests such action.

Respectfully submitted, Que Thuy Tran, et al.

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